APPROVED

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

MINUTES SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE "C"

TIME AND PLACE:

Special Conference Committee "C" convened on March 30, 2012, at

9:30 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter

Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico.

VA 23233.

FIRST CONFERENCE:

9:30 a.m.

PRESIDING:

Jeffrey Levin, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Surya P. Dhakar, D.D.S.

Misty Mesimer, R.D.H.

STAFF PRESENT:

Alan Heaberlin, Deputy Executive Director

Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager Indy Toliver, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM:

All three members of the Committee were present.

Ronald E. Tolson, DDS

Case No.: 139116

Dr. Tolson appeared without counsel to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated February 8, 2012. The

Committee received statements from Dr. Tolson and discussed the

allegations with him.

Closed Meeting:

Ms. Mesimer moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ronald E. Tolson. Additionally, Ms. Mesimer moved that Mr. Heaberlin Ms. Lee and Ms. Toliver attend the closed meeting.

Mr. Heaberlin, Ms. Lee, and Ms. Toliver attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The

motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene:

Ms. Mesimer moved that the Committee certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was

convened. The motion was seconded and passed.

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DECISION:

Case No.: 139116

Ms. Toliver reported that the Committee found Dr. Tolson, while providing treatment to Patient A, failed to perform a periodontal pocket probe or charting prior to performing a gingivectomy in 2011; in 2010, he performed periodontal probing and noted "4 mm on post" and "light bleeding around crown," but failed to identify the tooth or affected area; he failed to record a diagnosis to justify performing a gingivectomy; and he seated crowns but failed to note the materials used to cement the restorations.

The sanctions reported by Ms. Toliver were that within 6 months from the date of entry of the Order, Dr. Tolson shall successfully complete not less than 7 hours of continuing education in risk management and recordkeeping.

Ms. Mesimer moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

SECOND

CONFERENCE:

11:00 a.m.

PRESIDING:

Jeffrey Levin, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Surya P. Dhakar, D.D.S. Misty Mesimer, R.D.H.

STAFF PRESENT:

Alan Heaberlin, Deputy Executive Director Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager Shevaun Roukous, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM:

All three members of the Committee were present.

Robert Bielawski, DDS

Case No.: 137843

Dr. Bielawski appeared without counsel to discuss the allegation set forth in a Notice of the Board dated February 14, 2012. The Committee received statements from Dr. Bielawski and discussed the allegation with him.

Closed Meeting:

Ms. Mesimer moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Robert Bielawski. Additionally, Ms. Mesimer moved that Mr. Heaberlin, Ms. Lee and Ms. Roukous attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

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Reconvene: Ms. Mesimer moved that the Committee certify that it heard,

discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was

convened. The motion was seconded and passed.

DECISION: Dr. Levin reported that the Committee dismissed the allegation

Case No.: 137843 against Dr. Bielawski.

Ms. Mesimer moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The

motion was seconded and passed.

THIRD CONFERENCE: 1:05 p.m.

PRESIDING: Jeffrey Levin, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Surya P. Dhakar, D.D.S.

Misty Mesimer, R.D.H.

STAFF PRESENT: Alan Heaberlin, Deputy Executive Director

Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager Indy Toliver, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM: All three members of the committee were present.

EUGENIA WALSH, DDS Dr. Walsh appeared without counsel to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated March 1, 2012. The Committee

received statements from Dr. Walsh and discussed the allegations

with her.

CLOSED SESSION: Ms. Mesimer moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting

pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Eugenia A. Walsh, DDS. Additionally, Ms. Mesimer moved that Mr. Heaberlin, Ms. Lee and Ms. Toliver attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The

motion was seconded and passed.

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RECONVENE:

Ms. Mesimer moved that the Committee certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and passed.

DECISION:

Case No.: 140731

Dr. Levin reported that the Committee dismissed the allegations against Dr. Walsh.

Ms. Mesimer moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The

motion was seconded and passed.

REVISIONS TO THE PROBABLE CAUSE **REVIEW FORM:**

After a review and discussion by the Committee of the proposed revisions to the existing Probable Cause Review form, the Committee approved the revisions and also granted approval for the

Board to start using the revised form.

Approval of Minutes:

Upon a motion by Dr. Dhakar, the minutes from the Informal

Conference conducted on January 6, 2012 were approved.

ADJOURNMENT:

With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Date

Sandra K. Reen. Executive Director

May 11, 2012